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Economic Affairs Interim Committee August 24, 2011, Room 137, State Capitol

8:30 a.m.

Panel Discussion of SJR 15 Study on Agricultural Bonding

Greg Thayer, Montana Grain Elevator Association

Jeff Van Pevenage, Columbia Grain Inc. (grain trading organization)

Lochiel Edwards, Montana Grain Growers Association, Big Sandy grain grower

Chris Christiaens, Montana Farmers' Union John Youngberg, Montana Farm Bureau Services Cort Jensen, Montana Department of Agriculture

Public Comment on SJR 15

9:45 a.m.

Work Plan Discussion.

The committee discussion may include reviews of:

*HB 142 scope regarding advisory council and report reviews - Pat Murdo, staff

*Eminent Domain - Sonja Nowakowski, Legislative Services

*Budget options (Governors' Conference on Workers' Compensation) - Pat Murdo, staff

Committee action to adopt remainder of work plan.

11:45 a.m.

Report of legislative liaisons regarding Montana State Fund Board meeting of June 17th

12:00 p.m.

Lunch

1:15 p.m.

HB525 Review of Board of Chiropractors, followed by *Committee action* on board necessity

Board Representative: John Sando, DC

1:45 p.m.

Public Comment on Board of Chiropractors

2:15 p.m.

HB525 Review of Board of Veterinary Medicine

Board Representatives: Barbara Calm, DVM, Board President

Kim Baker, Board Vice President and public member

Jean Lindley, DVM, Board Secretary

2:45 p.m.

Public Comment on Board of Veterinary Medicine, followed by Committee action on board

necessity

3:15 p.m.

Public comment on any other issue under the committee's purview

3:30 p.m.

Directions to staff. Adjourn.

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If you plan to attend the meeting and need services or accommodations for a disability, please contact Pat Murdo by email at pmurdo@mt.gov or CJ Johnson at 406-444-3064 at least 3 working days before the meeting.